IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Louis BRIARD et al. Conf. 5139

Application No. 10/566,577 Group 3733

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DEVICE FOR DYNAMIC TENSIONING OF A NATURAL OR PROSTHETIC KNEE JOINT

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 18, 2010

Sir:

In response to the final Official Action mailed November 24, 2009, for which the period for response has been extended by three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.